





RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE TECHNOLOGY CENTER 1638

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Akio KOBAYSHI et al.

Group Art Unit: 1638

Application No.:

10/015,607

Examiner: G. Helmer

Filed:

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Docket No.: 111473

For:

A METHOD FOR INTRODUCING FOREIGN MATTERS INTO LIVING

CELLS

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the December 29, 2004, Office Action, and further to the Notice of Appeal filed June 29, 2005, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.